



# Department of the Interior Recovery Investments

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## Trails Projects

### Need

Some of the historic and recreational trails of Arizona are in need of repairs and improvement. These 9 projects have been identified as mission critical to the BLM-Arizona. These projects will also meet a goal of ARRA by providing youth employment through the various youth-oriented organizations. Trail repair opportunities will be uniformly distributed throughout the state.

### Recovery Act Funding

These Arizona ARRA projects have been allocated \$1.5 million. These projects will accomplish the goal of quickly providing youth employment opportunities. Multiple agreements will be used to accomplish these repairs.



### Benefits

These trail projects will restore access to BLM-Arizona public lands and improve visitor facilities at trail sites. Erosion control and water retention devices will improve living conditions for Arizona sensitive rare migratory and grassland birds, as well as stabilize the regional watershed by capturing more rainwater and eliminating unnatural soil erosion.



### More Information

Work at some trails will include installation of vault toilets, barriers/fencing, fee stations, kiosks, reconstruction of parking/staging areas at the trailheads.

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